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Intimations.

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Australia, America, China and Japan.

Hongkong, January 25, 1888.

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Intimations.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER

OF COMMERCE.

TYHE Annual General MEETING of the

MEMBERS of the HONGKONG

GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

will be held on FRIDAY, the 9th March

at 3 30 p.m. at the Rooms of the CHAMBER.

City Hall, for the purpose of receiving the

Report of the Committee, and passing the

Secretary's Accounts for the year ending

After the Aimual Meeting of the Cham-

bor, the Bill now before the Legislative

Council relating to the Registration of

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of the Colony,

will be DISCUSSED, and ALL MEMBERS

OF THE MERCANTILE CONSUNITY Interested

in this question, are invited to attend, at

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

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their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of

hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the

HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will

In the Event of Complaints being found

necessary, Communication with the Under-

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will be taken to rectify the cause of dis-

Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

the Company's FOREMEN should be a

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PATTRENS, at very moderate prices. 742

Hongkong, February 29, 1888.

H. U. JEFFRIES.

Secretary.

31st December, 1887.

4.30 p.m.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1888.

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Business Notices.



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Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

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(T E L E P H O N E 21).VICTORIA EXCHANGE, February 18, 1888.

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and Check DIAGONAL

THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING TALL SHAR JAATHAM. River Black. DIAGONAL and Solid Barren BLACK, BROWN, DRAB and Black, Blue & Brown Fancy Overland Trunks, GLAD-NOTICE. THE Tenth Ordinary Annual MEETING

D. GILLIES.

Secretary.

of SHAREHOLDERS in the above TOULES OF THE HONGKONG Company will be held at the Office of the GENERAL AGENTS, Pedder's Street, on SATURDAY, the 10th March, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the 1.-The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and General Agents, with a Statement of Ac-Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their | counts to 31st December; 1887. premises in Hongkong. Business hours The Transfer BOOKS of the Company on week days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10 will be CLOSED from the 25th February until 10th March, both days inclusive.

> JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, February 18, 1888.

THE LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

4. -Interest at the rate of 35 per cent. per | THE Sixth Ordinary Annual MEETING annum will be allowed to depositors on of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the OFFICE of 5. - Each Depositor will be supplied gratis the General Acents, Pedder's Street, on with a Pass-Book which must be pre- SATURDAY, the 10th March, at 12.30 sented with each payment or with p.m., for the purpose of receiving a Report drawal. Depositors must not make from the General Agents, with a Statement any entries themselves in their Pass- of Account to the 31st December, 1887. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about | will be CLOSED from the 25th February the beginning of January and begin- until the 10th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

> General Agents, Hongkong, February 18, 1888.

LEE TUK CHEONG, Deceased.

but the personal attendance of the NOTICE is hereby given that all Persons depositor or his duly appointed agent, having CLAIMS or DEMANDS and the production of his Pass-Book against or upon the Estate of LEE TUK CHEONG, late of Victoria, Hongkong, Merchant, who died on the 5th May, 1887, are HONGKONG & SHANGRAI BANKING required to send to me at My Office, at No. 61, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, aforesaid, full particulars of such Claims or Demands on or before the 30th April next. in order that the same may be examined by LEE Sow KEW, the Administrator of his Hongkong, September 1, 1883. . . . 754 Estate; and if found correct du'y discharged. And all Persons INDEBTED to she said Deceased are requested to pay the tmount of their respective Debts to me. Dated this 27th February, 1888.

> HO WYSON. Solicitor to the Administrator.

ANDREW JOHNSTON, Consulting Engineer. BANK BUILDINGS, QUEEN'S ROAD.

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THE HUNGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COM-PANY, LIMITED.

Secretary.

Hongkong, November 7, 1887.

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Hongkong, February 21, 1858. DE JONG'S PURE SOLUBLE CCCOA,

THE 'ACME' OF ALL PURE COCOAS, MAKES THE MOST DELICIOUS HOT OR COLD AND ICED COC A AND CHOCOLATE.

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This Cocoa, taken in cold water and without Sugar, is an utailing remedy 263 for Diarrhoea.

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LANE, CRAWFORD& Co., Agents for Hongkone.

Hongkong, February 22, 1888.

J. COOK, Proprietor.

THE HOTEL IS CENTRALLY SITUATED AND WITHIN -A PEW MINUTY WALK FROM THE PRINCIPAL LANDING PLACES. ACCOMMODATION FOR VISITOR. CHARGES MODERATE. TIFFIN at 1 o'Clock. DINNER at 7.30.

VENTILATED BILLIARD ROOM. TIFFIN 50 CENTS. DINNER 75 CENT. WINES, SPIRITS AND MALT LIQUORS OF THE VERY BEST QUALITURLY. Hongkong, April 1, 1887.

THE HONGKONG AND KUWLOON WHARE & GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE First Ordinary Annual MEETING the SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Orrices of the Company, Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY, the 8th day of March next, at Noon, to roceive

By Order of the Board,

Hongroug-February 27.

Praya Central, Hongkong.

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MOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION. SATURDAY.

San Lourenco, Madao,-OFFICE AND HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

Effects of the late Mr. MORTIME MURRAY), including, amongst numerous other Articles: DINING-ROOM and DRAWING-ROOM FUR-HTURE, SIDEBOARDS, GLASS, CHINA, a coniderable quantity of SILVER and PLATED

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E. T. BOND. H. B. M. Vice-Consul, ad interim. Hongkong, February 25, 1888.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. TULE'S MUMM OHAMPAGNE,

Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS AND WHITE WINES.

Baxter's Celebrated Barley Bree! WHISKY,-\$77 per Case of I doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1884.

BALL PROGRAMMES FOR SALE id bew shades and parterns.

'OHINA MAIL' OFFICE, 2, WYNDHAM STREET. January 20, 1888.

Notice of Firm.

NOTICE.

TR. M. GROTE has THIS DAY been Admitted a PARTNER in our Firm. CHATER & VERNON. Hongkong, January 1, 1888.

Notices to Consignees.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS ----

S.S. BRECONSHIRE, FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowlnon WHARF & Godown Co. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 2nd Proximo will be subject to rent at the rate of one cent per package per day.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 2nd Proximo, or they will not be re-

cognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, February 25, 1888.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Glengarry, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION of Cargo by her and by the S.S. Helvetia and Holland, from New Yonk, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARP AND Godown Co., LD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before

Noon To-DAY, the 25th Instant, Cargo remaining undelivered after the 3rd March will be subject to rent No Fire Insurance has been offected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, February 25, 1888. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. OLAYMORE, FROM GLASGOW LIVERPOOL, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowcoon WHARF & Godown Co. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-

less notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 24th Instant. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 1st Proximo will be All Claims against the Steamer must be

presented to the Undersigned on or before the 1st Proximo, or they will not be re-All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will e examined on Thursday, the 1st Proximo, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, February 24, 1888.

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TO LET.

(Immediate Possession.) the 3rd March, at 10 a.m. at 16, Rua de CHOP No. 6, BEACONSFIELD AROADE, Queen's Road. Apply to

BELILIOS & Co. Hougkong, February 29, 1888

TO LET.

OOMS in 'College Chambers.' -GODOWN in ICE HOUSE LANE, lately occupied by Mesers. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

from the 1st May.

Apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, February 3, 1888.

TO BE LET.

UNFURNISHED WITH TENNIS COURT. TO, 5. RICHMOND TERRACE, a FOUR ROOMED HOUSE, with Three Bath Rooms.

No. 6, RICHMOND TERRACE, a SIX ROOMED HOUSE, with Three Bath A NEW STORY has just been added to the Servants' Quarters of both houses.

Apply to JOHN WILLMOTT, Hongkong Dispensary. Hongkong, January 27, 1888.

TO BE LET.

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TWO DESIBABLE RESIDENCES Lituated in Caine Road, West and Terrace opposite to Rose Villas.

No. 14, CAME ROAD. Hongkong, October 31, 1887. 2130

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW. The Steamship Captain J. BLACKBURNE, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 2nd March, at Daylight, instead of as previously notified.

For Freight or Passage, apply to HOP HING HONG. Agents. of a.s. Nanshan,

Hongkong, February 29, 1888. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGISZE. The Co.'s Steamship

Canton,
Capt. Bremner, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 2nd of March, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESUN & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 28, 1888.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA SAKI AND KOBE (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

Steamship
Tcheran
will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, 3rd March, at Daylight.

E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, February 18, 1888.

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR TIENTSIN.

The Co.'s Steamship Kwongsang, Captain Sellar, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 3rd of March, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, February 28, 1888.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Tuking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship

Captain LaPage, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 5th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, February 28, 1888. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAM.

BURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.)

The Steamship Polyhymnia,
Capt. W. Scharren, will
be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 10th March, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, February 29, 1888.

PRICE, \$2 PRR MONTH.

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Bigney, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 4th March. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, February 24, 1888.

CCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW. CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Telemachus. Captain Jones, will be

THURSDAY, the 8th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, February 29, 1888.

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship Great Admiral. J. F. Rowell, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 21, 1888.

Insurances.

For Freight, apply to

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY.

NORTON & Co. Hongkong, July 15, 1887.

INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned, AGENTS of the above

GILMAN & Co.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE. LECORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF His Majerty King George The First,

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :---Marine Department.

of India, China and Australia Fire Department Policies issued for long or short periods at

Surrent rates.

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NOTIOE.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

> CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED,....\$1,000,000. THE above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current

> > HEAD OFFICE.

Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half. Year ending 31st December, 1887, at the Rate of (£1.10/) ONE POUND AND TEN SHILLINGS STERLING DOP SHARE of \$125. is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY NEXT, the 27th Instant, at the OFFICES of the Corporation, where Shareholders are

T. JACKSON. Ohief Manager, Hongkong, February 25, 1888.

J. D. KILEY. SAIL-MAKER.

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No. 23, Praya Central, HONGKONG.

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L Company, are authorized to Insure against FIRE at Current Rates. Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

A. D. 1720.

Policios at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports

Rates on Goods, &c. Policies granted to

all parts of the World payable at any of its WOO LIN YUEN.

No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, December 2, 1887.

CORPORATION.

requested to apply for WARRANTS. By Order of the Court of Directors.

Hongkong, November 1, 1887.

'ORINA MAIL' OFFICE. 2. Wyndham Street (behind the Club.)

has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly octhe Report of the Directors, with a State-NTOTICE is hereby given that all VESSELS ment of Accounts to 31st December, 1887. IN DISCHARGING BOMBAY COT-The Transfer BOOKS of the Company TON and COTTON YARN at the Kowwill be CLOSED from the 23rd Instant to LOON WHARVES WILL bave FREE STORAGE 8th Proximo, both days inclusive. for 14 days from arrival, after which a Rent of 3 Cents per bale per month will be ISAAO HUGHES, ISAAC HUGHES,

Secretary. Hongkong, February 18, 1888.

By Order of the Board offrectors, D. GLIES, Secretary.

HONGKONG AND WHAPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMED.

NOTICE TO SHARE LDERS

THE DIVIDEND of 4 or \$5 per

SHARE, for the Six Mdis ended 31st

December, 1887, declared fo-day's Or-

dinary Yearly Meeting wills Payable at

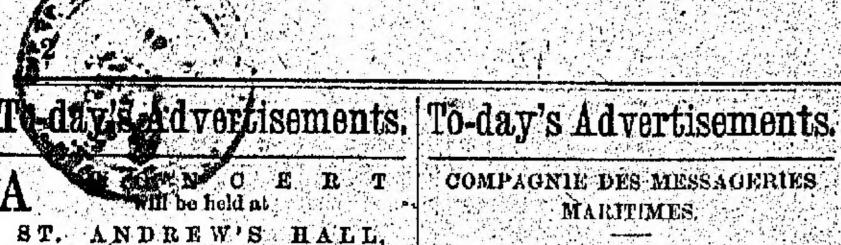
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HAT BANKING CORPORATIONS and after

TUESDAY, the 28th Instaland SHARE-

HOLDERS are requested to ay top WAR-

RANTS at the Company's Cor. No. 14.



CITY HALL, ON

Monday, the 5th March, at 9 p.m. IN AID OF THE ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL THE COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE.

Under the Distinguished Patronage of His Excellency Sir WILLIAM DES VOUX, K.O.M.G. His Excellency Major-General CAMERON,

Commodors MAXWELL, A.D.C., and Commodere HEURNER, Commanding the Imperial Gorman Squadron.

THE PROGRAMME WILL BE ISSUED TO-MORROW.

Tickets-82 each-may now be had at Mosers. Lane, Crawford & Co.'s. Hongkong, March 1, 1888.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION

THE following telegram from the South AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT IS published for general information.

> By Command, FREDERICK STEWART. Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 1st March, 1888.

1st March, 1888.

GOVERNOR, Hongkong, SOUTH AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT have declared all Ports in China or Chinese Dependencies infected: Quarantine on vessels for Twenty-one Days after arrival will be required at Darwin except as regards persons not being Chinese arriving by vessels having no disease on board, who will be granted immediate pratique. If not from Hongkong, politax ten pounds per head will be imposed subject to Parliamontary sanction on all Chinese arriving in Northern Territory, who have left therefor after March first. Please advise British Consuls and Chinese Authorities.

PARSONSCANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1887.

LIMITED

ONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a LIST of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December, 1887, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31sr DAY OF MARCH INSTANT, will be adjusted by the Orrios, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED! Hongkong, March 1, 1888.

NOTIOE.

HAVE This Day admitted to PARTNER-SHIP Mr. G. D. SOOTT. The Firm will henceforth be known as 'LIGHTWOOD & SCOTT, SHARE and GENERAL BOOKS.
HY. H. LIGHTWOOD. 1st March, 1888.

STEAMSHIP NATAL.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre, ox Steamships Yorouba and Tamise, and from Bordeaux, ex Steamship Egriand des Vergnes, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables—are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whonce delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consigness before 4 p.m. To-DAY (Thursday), the 1st Inst., requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after FRI-DAY, the 9th Inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before SATURDAY, the 10th Inst., or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, March 1, 1888. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA (DIRECT.)

The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Talbor, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 3rd Instant, at 4 p.m., instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co., General Managers: Hongkong, March 1, 1888.

FOR HOIHOW AND BANGKOK. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. The Company's Steamer Captain J. Newton, will

above Ports on SUNDAY, the 4th Instant. at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG.

Hongkong, March 1, 1888.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship

Captain WEESTER, will be despatched as above on or about the loth Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, March 1, 1888.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND

the above Ports TO-MORROW (FRIDAY). the 2nd Instant, at I p.m.

УОКОНАМА.

G. OR CHAMPEAUX,

The Co. s Steamship

Hongkong, March 1, 1888 DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Hunter, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 3rd Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.. General Managers. Hougkong, March 1, 1888.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship ROWELLY, Commander will be despatched fu the above Ports on the 3rd Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, March 1, 1888.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship

A. VARDIN, Commander, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 7th Instant,

The attention of Passengers is directed 35 Chinese. to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First class Saloon and Cabins' are situated forward of the Engines. Second Class Passengers are borthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, March 1, 1888.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. The Steamship Port Phillip
will be despatched for
the above Ports on

THURSDAY, the 8th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Trongsong, march 1, 1868.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Owners will be Remonsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-

ALLIS Rows, Hawaiian brig, Captain J. Phillips. - Wieler & Co. B. P. CHENEY, American ship, Captain Hughes. - Douglas, Lapraik & Co.

BYLGIA, German barque, Capt. P. Weiss. -Wieler & Co. CENTENNIAL, American ship, Captain I

M. Bearso. - Kussell & Co. EME, British burque, Capt. W. Summers. -Order-

GREAT ADMIRAL, American ship, Capt. James G. Rowoll.—Russell & Co.

HATTIE E. TAPLEY, British barque, Capt. / McConnachy. - Gibb, Livingston & Co. MANUEL, Spanish barque, Capt. Estival.
Remedios & Co.

* Equalization of Dividend Fund.

SHIPPING.

ALRIVALS February 29, 1888 :--

Ath ume, Britishsteamer, 1,613, Walker, Saigon February 24, Rico. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. March 1:-

Fushiki Maru, Japanese steniner, 1,219 W. Thompsen, Kutchinotzn February 25. Coal - Mirsui Bussan Karsha.

BELL & Co. Fero, German steamer, 754, T. N. Hansen, Saigon February 24, Rice. - Eduard SCHELLHARB & Co. Formosa, British steamer, 674, T. Hell,

Swatow February 29, General, Douglas STEAMSHIP CO. Fushun, Chinese steamer, 1,503, A. with smooth sea. Croad, Shanghai February 26, and Swatow 29, General. C. M. S. N. Co.

Gaclic, British steamer, 4,205; W. G. Pearne, San Francisco February 1, and Yokohama 25. Mails and Goneral. -O. & O. S. S. Co. Natal, French steamer, 4,036, Fuch Marseilles January 29. Alexandria Feb. 3. Port Said 4, Sucz 6, Aden 11, Columba 18 Singapore 23, and Saigon 27, Mails and General.-Messaceries Maritimes.

worth Haiphong February 28, General - la m. Mail closes at Noon. Late Letters A. R. MARTY. Kwongsang, British steamer, from Wham-

Amigo, German steamer, 771, O. A. Hun-

dewalt, Sagon February 26, Rice - Cur

DEPARTURES. March 1 :-Norden, for Manila. Kumamoto Mart, for Kutchinotzu. Namoa, for Const Ports. Phu Quoc, for Haiphong. Nanshan, for Swntow. Chingtu, for Sydney. Bengal, for Europe. Smit, for Saigon. Teresa, for Saigen. Young Ching, for Shanghai.

CLEARED Canton, for Swatow and Shanghai,

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED Per Ashburne, from aigon, 15 Chinese. Per Zofiro, from Manila, Mr and Mrs H, G. Brown, Mr and Mrs Robles, Mr R. H Wood, Captain Johnson, Rev. Niconor Lisundia, Rov. Eugenio Agunezabal, and

Per Fero, from Saigon, 8 Chinese. Per Formosa, from Swatow, 40 Chinese Per Fushun, from Shanghai, &c., Capt. Wallace, and 97 Chinese. Per Guelie, from San Francisco, Log, Mr H. A. McLeod, Miss Ella May, Messrs

J. W. May, Chas. L. Fair, C. C. Orycius. H. G. Simon, and Mrs C. de Pas. Per Natal, for Hongkong ; from Marseilles, Mrs Paulhan and 3 children, Mesers Ussing and Bloume; from Calcutta, Mr. Carritt; from Batavia, Mossre Guerriori 340 and Bergiotti; from Singapore, Mesers Guerrieri and Lazzeri, Rev. Honnacott, and 5 Chinese; from Saigon, Captain Delahave. Mr Ngan Poy, and 101 Chinese For Shanghai; from Marseilles, Messrs Mac

Kei Tohang, Berindosjee, Carrey, Geerts, and Pany; from Singap re, Mr Adamson and servant, and Mr. Farrer. For Yokohama; from Singapore, Mr and Mrs Drew. Per Amigo, from Saigon : for Amoy, 100 peans, and the from Haiphone 12 Euro 2

Per Benga', from Hongkong : for Singapore, Messrs G. Gracewood, J. Sloan, J. W. Benskin, F. Fox, Baron von Stark, Baron von Klamp, and Baron von Hugo, 3 European male servants, and 2 native Mither the Captain, the Agents, nor servants ; for Mudras, Mr F. B. Tuck ; for Colombo, Mr and Mrs J. Vernon, 1 child, On Londoninfant and European nurse : Bombay. Messrs S. E. Shellim, E. S. Sothna. Mehta, P. F. Tolatee and Kavasji Edulji for London, Mr and Mrs Hope Johnstone and maid, Mrs and Master Sloan, Mr and Mrs Foord, Messrs T. A. Niel sen and Jno. Collett; for London via Morseilles, Mr Jas. West. From Shanghai: for London, Captain Alington, Mr and Mrs C. T. Gardner, and Miss Gardner, and Mr Geo. Nicolf. From Nagasaki : for Venice. Rev. and Mrs Stout, Miss and Master Stout. From Kobe : for Brindisi, Mr A. A. Wagner. From Yokohama; for Penang, Mr E. F. Thomas; for London, Capt. Oweband,

Messrs A. C. Veramer, P. L. Stek and C. Per Namoa, for Foochow, Mesars Bathgate, Allock, G. Sienssen, Dalby Gubbay, Hunt, Pryde, Misses Bradshaw and Davies. Mr and Mrs C. A. Lord. To DEPART.

Per Canton, for Swatow, 25 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Zaftro reports: Loft Manila February 28th, had variable winds and fine weather. The British steamer Formosa reports: Had veriable winds and fine weather throughout. Passed steamer Namoa off Nine Pins Rock, bound to Coast Ports. The Chines steamer Fushum reports :

Left Swatow on the 29th ulto., had fine

weather. The British steamer Gaelic reports: Sailed from San Francisco February 1st, at Zefiro, British steamer, 675, R. M. Tul. 3.04 p.m. Had Westerly gales, and head bot Manila February 27, General.—Rvs. sea throughout, and arrived at Yokohama February 23rd, at 1.25 p.m. Sailed from Yokohama February 25th, at 0.36 a.m. Had light variable winds, and fine weather to Hongkong, arriving March 1st, at 11.57 a.m. Time 5 days, 13 hours, and 03

The British steamer Danube Toports Had light Easterly winds and thick fogs

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For SWATOW & SHANGHAL-Per Canton, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the 2nd March. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO. Per Thales, at 11.80 a.m., on Friday, the

3rd inst. For SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKO-HAMA. Per Natal, on Friday, the 2nd instant.

Danube, British steamer, 561, R. Uns. For Shanchal Registry chases at 11.45 received from 0.10 to 0.30 with 10 cents Late Fee. For JAPAN -Registry ceases at 0.15 p.m. Mail closes at 0.30 p.m. Paid Correspondence may then be posted in the moveable box on board the Packet. For MANILA.

Per Zafiro, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 3rd inst., instead of as previously For SAIGON,-For Duburg, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, the

2nd March. For HAIPHONG .-Per Danube, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 3rd inst. For HOIHOW & BA GKOK.

Per Taichiow, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 3rd inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Teheran, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 2nd March.

For SINGAPORE. Per Polyhymnia, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 16th inst. For TIENTSIN.

Per Kluongsang, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 3rd March.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. French Contract Packet Saghalien will be despatched on WEDNESDAY. the 7th March, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyoud, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet City of Rio de Janeiro will be despatched on SA-TURDAY, the 3rd March, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :-Nogistry of sas. pondence may be posted on board the

Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure. Exchange. HONGKONG, March L.

Bank, Wire, ... 3/01 .. On demand, ... 3/0% 30 days' sight, ... 3/1 4 months sight, ... 3/1 Oradia,4 Documentary, 4 months sight, 3/15 On Paris— On demand, ... Oredits, 4 months' sight, ... 3.97 On New York-On demand. Uredits, 60 days sight, On Bombay-On demand, On Calcutta-On demand, On Shangha --On domand, ... 30 days sight, ... Gold Leaf, 100 fm... ... 33.10 Sovereigns, ... \$6.42

SHARE LIST. -QUOTATIONS. March 1, 1888. Paid- Position PER LAST REPORT. Last Dividence up. Reserve. Balancec. f'ward Last Dividence Closing Quotations, 3,900,000 100,000 Tls. 406,132.00 Tls. 23.65 for 1. 270, buyers 3.059.76 7 % for 1886 1. 108

Stocks. 20,903.51 at 30/ for ½ year \$52 % prem., buyers working a/c to Dec. 31/87 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. [60, 006] : * North-China Insurance Co., Ld..... 5,000 C Vangtsze Insurance Company, Ld.... 8,000 £ Union Insurance Society Co., Ld.... 10,000 3 314,012,96 26 %, 1880 571 China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld.... 24, 000 245,240.04 20% Fannum 19 Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld..... 10,000 3 429,367.96 10 % for 1887 14 125,771 29 8 % for 1886 4024 Chinese Insurance Co., Limited. 1,500 \$ 200 3 Hengkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld... 8, 000 338,567.46 \$27.50 for '86 \$721 China Fire Insurance Co., Ld...... 172.031.93 \$ 6 for 1886 | \$9 Singapore Insurance Company, Ld. 40,000 79,432.52 5 % for 1886 \$11 ex div. The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000 \$ The Straits Insurance Co., Ld....... 30,000 \$ 100 3 200,000 \$ Sel sellers STEAMBOAT CONPANIES. Dec. 31/87 86, buyers *40,000 3,696 50 HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., L.J. 40,000 +200,000 50 all 127,320 \$ 1161.13 8 % Douglas Steamship Co., Limited 20,000 \$ Indo-Ohina S. N. Company, Limited 18, 387 E 4,387:5.95 % for 1886/7 lik dia, sales China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld..... 3,500 \$ 5 prem., buyers MISCELLAMEOUS. 1,901.32 101 % for '87 5% prem., ex div. H'kong & Whampon Dock Co., Ld. 12,500 \$ HK. and China Gas Co., Limited. 1,527.3.11 10 % and 2 % \$0 per share, buyers, fully 9,177.31.1 New Shares 10 £ 7.1 678.94 \$5 half year \$5 Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt.... ex div., nominal 3,000 sha, issued 13,781.53 6 % for 1 year \$8 to June 30/87 China Sugar Company, Limited..... 15,000 \$ Hongkong Ice Company, Limited.... 5,000 & Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld.... 600 & Luzon Sugar Company, Limited.... 7,000 & Perak Sugar Cultivation Co...... 5,000 T1 429.60 16 % for 1887 \$1 ex div. 514.5- 10% for 1886 80 all 6.00X ex div., nominal 100 all buyers 50 all Perak Tin Mining & Sting Co. Bales: Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samatan } 40,000 \$ HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co. 17,000 8 buyers H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. 3,000 8 A. S. Watson & Co., Limited 3,800 8 HK, High-Level Tramways Co., Ld. 1,250 8 prem, nominal LOANS. Payable: Chinese Imperial 1884 B. 8,565 yearly, 30 June March & Sept. ... T700,000 TL 250 Oprem, buyers

* Depresiation and Insurance Fund.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping.

Daylight .- Nanshan leaves for Swatow. Noon .- Canton leaves for Shanghai &c. 1 p.m.—Natal leaves for Shanghai, &c. Meeting.

9 p.m.-Meeting of Zetland Lodge. Miscellaneous. Goods per Sachsen undelivered after this

date subject to rent. Goods per Breconshire undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda. SATURDAY. March 3 -Goods per Glengarry undelivered after

this date subject to rent. MONDAY, March 5 :-9 p.m.-Concert at the City Hall THURSDAY, March 8:-

Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company, Limited. FRIDAY, Merch 9 :--Goods per Steamer Natal unclaimed after Noon subject to rent.

3.30 p.m. - Meeting of Members of the Hongkong General Chamber of Comthis port to-day. merce at the City Hall. SATURDAY. March 10:--Noon. Meeting of Shareholders of the China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at the

General Agents' office. 12.30 p.m .- Meeting of Shareholders of the Luzon Sugar Rofining Co., Ltd., at the General Agents' office. SATURDAY, March 31 :--List of Contributions to the Canton

Insurance Office. Limited, to be sent in before this date. NOTIOE.

WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

JUST RECEIVED

LAWN GRASS SEED

ANNUAL SUPPLY

SWEET CORN.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, March 1, 1888. The publication of this issue commenced at 7.45 p.m.

The China Frail.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1888. TUCULA HIS. [SUPPLIED TO THE ! CHINA MAIL!] (Via Southern Line.)

THE CROWN PRINCE'S LIFE ABANDONED. Lowbon, 28th Rebruary, 1888. Her Majesty the Queen has received telegram stating that all hope of the Crown

Prince's recovery has been abandoned. (From L'Inde Chinois.) THE TRIAL OF WILSON, Paris, 26th Feb.

The Wilson trial is finished. SECRET FUNDS. At the instance of the Government the

sum of frs. 1,000,000 for secret funds to the Minister of the Interior. (From Singapore Papers.)

BRITAIN AND VENEZUELA. LONDON, 22nd Feb. Sir James Fergusson denied that the Government were taking military action with

regard to Venezuela. THE CONDITION OF THE CROWN PRINCE

BERLIN, 22nd Feb. The Crown Prince is better but his state causes much anxiety. The Emperor wishes to go to San Remo, but his physicians are using all means to dissuade him.

LUCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Austin Friars, January 3; Stentor, Strathleven, Uppin ham, 14 Glenfalloch, Ulympia, Altorower, 17; Benlawers, Oxus, Patroclus, .21; Glenogle, Jason, Ningchow, Poseidon, Preussen, Propontis, 28. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Albany, Jan. 3; Bengloe, Feb. 3; Devonshire, 7; Lydia,

10; Monmouthshire, 14; Neckar, Sumer,

17; Glenartney, Ingraban, 21; Ching.

Phe Canadian Pacific Line steamer Parthia, from Vancouver, left Kobe for this port on the 26th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the let March. as steamer Deccan, with the English

Wednesday, the 29th Feb., at 4 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 6th March. This packet brings replies to letters deepatched from Hongkong on Dec.

The s.s. Huntingdon left Singapore on the

24th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 2nd March.

The steamship Pathon left Singapore on the 25th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 2nd March The P. & O. 'extra' steamship Khipe, from Lombsy, left Singapore for this port on the 20th Feb., and may be ax-

The Q. B. S. Co.'s steamship Anchises, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 26th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 3rd Mar.

The Ben Line steamer Benjario, from London and Antwerp, left Singapore on the 25th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 3rd March the 27th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 4th March.

Devawangse was to leave Singapore on the 28th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 5th March The D. D. R. steamship Electra, from Hamburg, left Singapore on the 29t Feb., and may be expected here on cabout the 6th March. Liverpool, left Singapore on the 29th

Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 6th March. the 1st March, and may be expected here on or about the 7th March.

THE delivery of the French and American Mails was begun at 3 p.m. Messas Adamson, Bell & Co. inform us that the s.s. Port Phillp left Singapore for

WE would draw attention to the Govern ment notification with regard to Quarantine and poll-tax arrangements in the Northern Territory of South Australia.

that Lord Dufferin's retirement is due ance some companies of regular Chineso solely to solicitude with regard to his troops have made their appearance near the health.

MESSES Adamson, Bell & Co. inform us ourselves unnecessary uneasiness were we that the Canadian Pacific Line s. s. Abyssinia, which left Hougkong on January 27th and Yokohama Feb. 10th, arrived at Van- France, hostile intentions. We hope on conver on the 26th inst.

It will be seen from an advertisement that a concert will be given at the City that part of the frontier. At the same Hall on Monday night, the 5th instant, time, now that the stations of the Delta in aid of the funds of the Alice Memorial Hospital and the College of Medicine for Chinese students. Particulars will be pub- the garrison of Monkay, to show that on lished to-morrow.

In order to effect economy in the Budget of Tonkin, M. Constans, the Governor General, has countermanded by telegram the departure from France of a battalion of infantry of marine, which were about to leave for Tonkin. In order that the forces of Tonkin may not be diminished consequence, a battalion is to be drafted from Cochin China.

Two coolies who were at work at a portion of Queen's Road West, near the Government Civil Hospital, which is being widened, were killed by a landslip which occurred about ten o'clock this morning. The other coolies employed at the place all ran away when the accident occurred, and the police had to dig out the unfortunate men, which they succeeded in doing about were taken to the Mortuary, where an Stones and bricks were thrown in all direcinquest will be held to morrow.

THE Straits Times says :- By the M. M.

and anatched her carrings, and was sen- the verandahs. tenced to six months imprisonment. Two chair-coolies, who were found guilty of SHORILY before sleven o'clock last night fire stealing some Japanese ornaments, a hat, broke out on the first floor of the house No. two handkerchiefs &c. from Mr J. A. Car- 229 Queen's Road West, used as a cookvalho, were sentenced to 14 days' hard labour, house or pastry shop, and before it could his launch to remain there.

wo, Denbighshire, Elektra, Glencoe, Glenfull value. Bis Worship imposed a fine of German and Home Offices being, we be \$100 for each house, that is \$300. The fine here, principally concerned in the insurpeoled here on or about the 2nd Mar. I was baid.

Wa understand that action is being taken the matter of the serious increase of Souday labour amongst the shipping in this. port. The Rev. A. G. Goldsmith, Seaman's Chaplain, is following up the remonstrance which appeared in his annual report, The steamship Deepdale left Singapore on and in so doing he is acting on behalf the officers and men of all merchant The Scottish Oriental Company's new str. vessels, as well as (indirectly) for mercantile assistants on shore who are affected by such work. As we have proviously stated, this movement, even spart from any religious considerations, is a sound one, and should receive the support of all The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Telemachus, from right thinking men. Most of the leading shipping firms are, we believe, favourably disposed towards certain restrictions being The steamer Port Phillip left Singapore on imposed upon work in the harbour on Sundays, so long as the restrictions are imposed upon every one. We think the Chamber of Commerce might fairly take up this subject.

Le Courrier d'Haiphong says :- The Chinese recently appear to have taken a great interest in the districts of Canton bordering on the Tonkin frontier towards the side of Monkay. Gunboats have been seen opposite Paklung and Mandarin junks have come alongside the coast. All day gunboats and the junks kept saluting each Wa observe from an Indian contemporary other. Since these boats put in an appearfrontier for the purpose apparently of forming a garrison. We would be giving to attribute to China or even to the Viceroy of Canton, who is not friendly to the contrary that the first result of the presence of regular troops will be to put to flight the bands of plunderers which infest are gradually to be confided to Militia, we think it would be well to augment a little our side we have the necessary forces to meet all eventualities.

STREET rioting has occurred in Singapore in consequence of the enforcing of a new Ordinance forbidding shopkeepers to block up their verandahs with goods. The word verandah has rather a wide meaning in Singapore and is applied generally to covered spaces in front of buildings, or sort of portico. The Ordinance has met with strong opposition from the Chinese and the ferment was so strong that some ten days ago a riot ensued. The rioters of course belonged mainly to the rowdy class, who had little to lose, and who, as we have often found here, are ever ready to lend themselves to this sort of work, when popular discontent runs high. They practically got possession of two streets and compelled all the Chinese to shut shop, causing a large number of tions and considerable damage was done, while several Europeans were hurt. The Police seemed to have acted with care mail steamer Natal the Revd. Bryant and firmness. Several arrests were made Wonnacott leaves for Hongkong, where he and special permission was given to whip takes up the duties of Military Chaplain for the culprits publicly. All work was stopsix months. Mr Wonnscott graduated ped at the dooks during the forenoon of M. A. at St. Mary's, Oxford, and since his one day. The Camorta could not discharge arrival in Singapore in February 1880, he her passengers, and many steamers could has officiated as Military Chaplain and not obtain coal. The Police avoided as assisted at services at St. Andrew's Cathe- much as possible firing on the people, but dral. He has already shewn good promise two or three shots seem to have been fired as a preacher, and his carnest and unobtru- and one or two Chinese were killed. When sive manner has won him many friendsout- the mail left the Police had managed to side of the worshippers at his own church. restore order and the city had almost assumed its normal aspect. Besides adopting Chamber of Deputies has adopted by 288 Ar the Police Court to-day a Chinaman repressive measures the Government disagainst 220 votes the maintenance of the was convicted of having in company with tributed placards stating that they required another seized a woman, forced her down only clear and unimpeded passage through

-A boatman who failed to show a light on be extinguished consumed eight houses. his boat was fined \$5, and the master of a The flames apread very rapidly both East steam launch was fined \$3 for obstructing and West, and seemed likely to cross the Pedder's Wharf by unnecessarily allowing street. Inspector Swanston, on arrival, ordered the people out of the houses on the opposite side, and got them to pour water THE case against Pang Yuk Chaung, of the on the sides of the house, while he and some Fung Fung Chan shop, Wing Lok, who is others tore down all the sign-boards, lamps charged with making false returns of his and other projecting woodwork. No. 231, rent, was heard by Mr A. G. Wise at the the house next to where the outbreak took Police Court to day. The houses for which place, was an oil shop, and, as might he was accused of making false returns are be expected, when it caught fire there Nos. 47, 51, 53, 58 and 60 Stone Nullah. | was a fierce outburst of flamos. Three of Mr A. Shelton Hooper, Government the houses on the opposite aide then caught Valuer, said accused returned 856 for No. fire, but the firemen managed to extinguish 47, instead of \$82.12; \$48 for 51, instead of the flames before damage of any con-\$50.24; \$56 for 53, instead of \$68.24; \$56 sequence was done. The bre, however, defor 58, instead of \$74.24; \$56 for 60, in. spite the afforts of the Brigades under Mr stead of \$68.24. In all he had returned a Wodehouse and Mr Tomin, spread rapidly total of \$272 instead of \$343.18. On the on the side where it first broke out. It form there was a notice in Chinese that a first travelled Westward and then Eastward fine of \$100 might be supposed if the particof No. 229. To the East of this house. culars given were not correct. In addition however, only two tenements were conto this he had this year caused a notice sumed, No. 225 and No. 227, the firemen printed in Chinese to be attached to the being able to save No. 223. To the West, form stating that they were to make no de- however, the ravages were more extensive. MAIL of Feb. 3rd, left Singapore on duction at all. The accused had besides and Nos. 231, 233, 235, 237 and 259 were made an untrue statement to him verbally. | all practically destroyed. The houses con-He had brought forward only these five isist mostly of a ground floor, let floor and houses because accused had thrown great | cockleit, the ground floor being used as difficulty in the way of his obtaining in shops and the parts above as dwelling formation with regard to his other houses. I houses. Two or three of the houses burned He had also thrown difficulty in the way of | down were comparatively new buildings. his obtaining information with regard to having been built to replace houses that these. By giving false returns the accused | were borned down in the same locality not only defrauded the Treasury but made | about twelve months ago. The most of a profit ou the rates, which he collected at | the nouses are said to have been insured.

at debit.

would seem to give a final blow to the hopes that were entertained of the recovery points of law he (counsel) intended to raise out warrant under certain circumstances the Crown Prince of Germany. The operation to which he was subjected is one of the most dangerous and difficult any one in the opening of the air-passages through the traches, below the the isthmus of the thyroid gland. It is a more difficult and todious operation than Laryngotomy, which When the operation of trachectomy is performed, a large curved tube to breathe through is inserted in the aperture. and secured round the neck with a tape. tologram is too possimistic, but we four there is now little hope that the heir apwill over fill that high rank. The effect of his removal on the course of European is generally regarded as a lover of peace and sympathisor with the aspirations of the where there is a large element of absolutism man in whom the power contres is much greater than in a strictly limited monarchy like England; and while we do not believe picted by French journalists, the chance of his succession at a near date may influence impression that the opium would be carried omission. Now, in the first place; the perthe temper of the two nations whose feelings towards the Fatherland are equivocal if not hostile.

THE London & China Express says :-- Wo hear that Mr Charles Vandeleur Greagh, Assistant British Residentat Taiping, Perak, will, in all probability, be the new Governor of British North Borneo. If the appointable man. His work in Hongkong, and, been the past services of Mr Creagh :-

Was Assistant District Superintendent of the First-Class in the Punjab Police; in ience sake he substituted a stamp, die or to chest the Opium Farmer. It was not capture, but were overcome and sent to 1866 passed the Highest Police Examination, and the Second Standard in Oriental interfere with their junks and it was incon- to it. Even assuming that the Opium Languages; in 1867 raised the Sikh Police for the Hangkong Government, and was appointed Deputy Superintendent of Police; in 1868 was made a Justice of the Peace; Sheriff in 1874; acted as Captain-Superintendent of Police in 1860-70 and 1877-78; Acting Aide-de-Camp in 1878; appointed Superintendent of Fire Brigade, 1878; acted as Police Magistrate and Coroner from March 7, 1878, to July 24, 1880; passed with credit the six Examinations in Chinese Colloquial prescribed by the Government ; in 1879 was Member of Committee appointed to suggest measures for the Suppression of Public Gambling, was appointed Arbitrator for the Government under the Opinin Ordinance (7 of 1879) Assistant British Resident and Member of the State Council, Perak, March, 1883.

REFERENCE to the annual report of the

Postmaster General, the Shanghai Dail: of the contrast between the well-manned Local Post Office in Shanghai with its 26 Chinese employes, and the Hongkong Office with its 20 Chinese, and points out that the whole postal work of Shanghai, which is only half that of Hongkong, demands the services of 18 Europeans and 48 Chinese, while the Hongkong work is done by 17 Europeans and 20 Chinese; and it certainly would appear from this that the Hongkong Office is under-manned; but all the work in Shanghai could be done with a much smaller staff, if the ridiculous multiplication of post-offices here were abolished. Hongkong resents it if she is called backward when compared to Shanghai; but it is difficult to know how else to characterise the fact that while Shanghai has hourly deliveries, Hougkong gets with difficulty three deliveries a day, and an extra delivery after dark when necespary; and even these poor three deliveries | The Attorney General, on behalf of the are suspended, when there is a rush of respondent, said it would be convenient for either inward or outward mail work. It is him to follow the line of argument that had extremely unselfish of Hongkong to suspend | been adopted by his learned friend for the its own deliveries in order that Shanghai's appellant, and he would address himself to mail may be sorted before being put on the five points raised by him in their order. board the steamer for Shanghai; but there | Before addressing himself to the merits of is more than one hint in Mr Lister's report, | the question or to the arguments proper that this grace- will be curtailed, unless he his learned friend made some observations is provided with a larger staff. On one oc- with reference to the bona fides or rather casion-and to make it more trying, it was | the want of bond fides and want of candour Christmas Day-the clerks had to work of the Opium Farmer. Of course he (the from 2 p.m. until midnight, sorting the Attorney General) had nothing to say there Shanghai mail, and once in the year-as with regard to the Opium Farmer's conhappened the other day with the Iraouaddy's duct. It spoke for itself and he was no mail-the newspaper portion had to be sent | called upon to justify the position he had up unsorted; and if this sort of thing is re- taken. But this he might say that unpeated. Mr Lister will have the British Post- | der the circumstances the Opium Farmer master here demanding a larger staff. . . stood there simply to ask for a legal

. . Shanghai is so well served by Mr. Lister | construction and enforcement of the -sometimes to the actual detriment of law under the 10th section of the statute, Hougkong, as we have seen, that we can As regarded his bong fides all he need only hope that the Government will give say was that the Opium Farmer did not some serious attention to his grievances, and appear in the prosecution before the Magiswill allow him such an increase of staff as will trate to have pressed very hard upon the enable him to continue the facilities which | defendant in the case, in so much that the we enjoy. Apparently, however, they are penalty, apparently with his full consent, not in actual danger until the question of was a mero nominal one. The Opium the surrender, or otherwise of the British | Farmer was in a very special position with Post-offices in China to the Chinese Govern- reference to prosecutions of this kind, and ment is settled; and on this, we learn, the although he might have to deal a little more Imperial Government Les not get arrived at in detail presently with what his position

SUPREME COURT

IN APPELLATE JURISDICTION. (Before Hom. J. Bussell, Acting Chief Justice, und his How. Mr A. J. Leach, Acting . Puisne Judge.)

Thursday, March 1:

THE RECENT LARGE SEIZURE OPIUM

RORAT, APPELLANT; CHU TUNG, RESPONDENT. Mr Robinson, instructed by Mr Creasy Ewens, appeared for the appellant in this

Mr Wotton, being for the Opium Farmer. of 1887. The repord of conviction stated that appellant was convicted for that he on for the appellant the Attorney General said federation and the States of South Ger their Lisbon agents, dated the 28th just ; what might happen? the 14th January, 1838, unlawfully did, in —with reference to his learned friend's many, thus checkmating the designs of the — Cascapedia in pratique. Of the moving for experience 32 chests of opinion, first contention—that an excise officer had Emperor Napoleon III on Luxembourg. graphed Board Trade for institutions about neglect to send to the Superintendent of no locus stands for proceedings such as The Cabinet of St. Petersburg was survivors Oxfordshire. Repairs Cascapedia plication of the prosecution the merely no. lawful for any police or excise officer to or. ment of Russian troops westward were not Negro (saved) affirms Oxfordshire foundered minal sum of \$20; but of course he was rest certain persons under certain condi- checked. liable in law to the forfeiture of the opium tions without warrant and to bring them. Italy is recalling troops from Massowah.

conviction was right, and the principle in that an excise officer having reasonable corps volved was therefore an important ove. The ground for a cortain belief might with-

to the hulk in a junk named in permit D. these vessels it was sent in another one:

(counsel) contended it was not going in the As to the point raised with reference to secank to the hulk; it was to be brought | tion 19 being read along with section 10 he The same witness also said that this I submitted that section 19 applied to an onstamp allowed the opium to be carried in tirely different matter. any boat. Again, in answer to Mr Wolton. he said the opium eventually would be put think the Attorney General need go into on board a so wified junk. He was per- that, because it was clearly a different thing fectly clear there. Captain Rumsey came to which this section applied. in and continued the custom, and it was perfectly clear that no instructions had sen given to vary it. There could not be any better evidence of what was the practice, and nothing moreover could better! show the bond fides of the appollant in act. permit and thus making it of no use to kim ing as he did. Mr Cordeiro, another wit- at all: ness, who was the clerk that put on those stamps, said he stamped the application : and he said it was the custom for appli-

to insert the name of the cargo boat. He him before a Magistrate: thought it right to call the attention of the Court to the want of candour and frankness on the part of the Opium Farmer in connection with this case: The Opium Farmer knew nothing whatever about this practice plainly told him what he knew about the practice, a gentleman of Mr Lister's standing would have advised him to go to law, at least without first going to the Superintendent of Exports and Imports. This conduct showed a want of candour and was disingenuous, and he (counsel) had no doubt the Court would take this course into ac-

count. The learned counsel then proceed. ed to argue the points of law, in which he was occupied for over two hours.

was, he thought it was fair to call the publication of the Secret Treaty between attention of the Court to it at the outset Germany and Austria is, so far as can be in a general way. He would define the judged, peaceful, owing to the powerful position of the Opium Farmer with refer- position secured by the Treaty to Germany ence to these matters as that of a tenant and Austria as against Russia. for the time being of a valuable estate, which had been created and built up and the Kingdoms of Roumania and Servia, and protected by legal provisions. He was the the Principality of Bulgaria will co-operate holder for the time being of a monopoly, with Austria in preventing a Russian inva- Minister is expected to return shortly but that was a monopoly primarily created sion of the Balkan Peninsula. in the interests of the revenue. He was The Balkan being thus blocked, the Minister at Berlin, has been on a visit to of the highest importance to the French just as much, and so more, a farmer Allied Powers will have their forces free for London for a short stay. in the case of the revenue as a man the protection of Galicia and their Eastern OF who hired a piece of land to oultiva- frontiers. to it for the time being was a farmer. His It is calculated that France will be outward bound for China, were in collision Catholic priest is lawful, thus maintaining object would necessarily be whilst he was restrained from attacking Germany by the off Barking yesterday afternoon. The the judgment of the Amiens Court of Polsonous food, and fought herribly toge- tem for inefficiency, and says the regular tenant to take reasonable precautions at all knowledge that an Italian army of three Glenfulloch had two boats smeshed, davits Appeal. events that there was no undue waste or de- hundred thousand men will be available for broken, and rails damaged on the port side, preciation of the property of which he was holding the Alpine Passes, and for threaten- and the miren topmast and fore topsail case; the Attorney General, instructed by for the time being, in one sense of the ing the French frontier on that side. word, the trustee. Therefore, and prime Prime Bismarck, in publishing the Secret send. The Kaisar i-Hind proceeded; the the arsenal and inspected the military Mr Robinson said the case was one in facte there was nothing unreasonable or Treaty, has repeated his action in the case extent of her damage, if any, is not known, works which are being constructed. He which a coolie was convicted by the Actin; oppressive or unfair in the attempt to en- of the quarrel with France about Luxem. The Glenfalloch has doclard at Tilbury for expressed dissatisfaction with the progress Police Magistrate (Me Sercombe Smith) of force and to mforce strictly the provisions bourg in 1867, when he published the repairs. an offence under section 10 of Ordinances. Onling to deal secret treaties of the owners of the and defensive and d

seven different junks to six or seven diffe- necessary protection of the permit given landing of a hostile force. parent to the Imperial throne of Germany rent places. Before exporting, he desired under schedule D with the view of exportto go to the Customs bulk and pay duty ing under which they were acting at the here. With that view he made a second time they were doing what they were in the Honse of Commons regarding the times for posting for the P. & O. mails reapplication, and according to the usage, with | charged with here. The act complained accuracy of the statement of the Neue Freie main as heretofore. politics may be great. The Crown Prince | which the Opium Farmer was well acquaint of was these 32 chests of opium were | Presse, Sir James Forg seen said that Enged, he made application by a stamped form being moved without the permission re- land had not entered into any engagement and the answer came back by a stamp exactly quired by the Ordinance, and if this pledging herself to any action of her Navy similar on form D. These two applications, was legal and proper it might be that except such as was already known to the Liberal parties in Germany. In an Empire for the convenience of the office were made all the opium in the Colony could be going public, and professed his inability to reply one; and for the purpose of showing that about in sampans in small | arcels and en- | to further question whether the Governthere was no innovation in the mode of tirely outside the control of the whers. | ment contemplated making any arrangement in the Government, the influence of the procedure he should like to refer to the What he understood to be the appellant's of that nature with Italy. evidence given, especially as it showed the contention was-It is quite true we did bond fides of the appullant. The appli- not make an application suitable for this cation was made and permission was vessel and for this transaction; that we did | that Baron de Worms is likely; to succeed. granted without any restriction whatever. not mention the sampan, etc.; but practi- Sir Henry Holland is premature. The the Prince's sen is the firebrand he is de. As to the exact scope of the application and cally that was an omission which was latter has no present intention of retiring. the permission Capt. Runsey said he give | waived. They contended that giving the Baron de Worms probably undertakes the the permission by that stamp under the permit was a sufficient condonation of the duties of Under-Sec etary for the Colonics. mit had nothing whatever to do with this The Acting Chief Justice said be under- act. What was it that the Opium Farmer stood that there were seven permits for | waived and what was his knowledge of the sending the opium to the hulk by one of In accordance with form D, it appeared that

seven different vessels, and that instead of irregularities that were being introduced? the permission to export opium required objected. Mr Robinson said there was no evidence that the quantity should be specified, the that Capt. Rumsey had given any specific marks given, a certain number specified, direct' is to that effect, and his statement and the jank mentioned. It had been was that he merely continued the practice. customary according to Mr Seth's evidence already in force, concerning which there to write across the face of the permit the was no complaint by the Opium Farmer. words with permission to take to the Chi- to Hyde Park numbered 15,000. Mr ment is made, Mr Creagh will prove a cap- As to what was the former practice there | nese Customs Station. Now there was was most emphatic evidence by Capt. Rum- nothing on the face of this document to soy's predecessor, Mr. Seth, who said he was suggest that the holder of it had a right to for the last five years, in Perak, eminently the person who originated and settled move the opium in any other vessel than fit him for the post. The following have the practice and with the full knowledge was there specified. What they did was and consent of the Opium Farmer. He something to which the Opium Farmer had said he used to endorse form O under his not given his assent; they used their perown hand, and subsequently for conven- mit in a manner which would enable them | side the House of Commons. They resistchop. The object, he said, was for the con- said that was intended on this occasion, Dublin for trial. venience of shippers, as the tides might but the act was one which opened the door venient to keep them waiting. Ho said Farmer had waived all that the appellant they would take the opium to the hulk and contended for, that did not interfere with then bring it back to the junk. Therefore he | the logality of the conviction in this case.

The Acting Chief Justice said he did not

which he said he could not see unless it was of protection which he claimed under the

The Acting Chief Justice-Thero was some difficulty about the practice. which seemed to have been acquiesced in. If the cants to come to the office and borrow the practice was wrong, why was it not stopped stamp for the purpose of stampipplettee mich trouble, solding his opinin and bringing

The Attorney General said there was nothing to show that the Opium Farmer or his predecessor or anybody else in his interest ever knew that the holder of a went to Mr Lister and told him that he permit under that form could do an act of this character. As to putting the appel- mons last night during a debate on the and that he had not associoned it. He lant to trouble the Opium Farmer no doubt | Crimes Act, Sir Geo. Trevelyan declared (counsel) submitted that it was impossible thought the case would be settled at once that the policy now being pursued by the to believe that, if the Opium Farmer had and that there would be no further Government in its dealings with Ireland proceedings.

the opium had been restored to the de

Mr Robinson said it had not, but it had been obtained under a bail bond. The Acting Chief Justice did not see what was the sense of keeping the opium if it was not forfeited. The Attorney General said the Magistrate seemed to think it ought to be retained.

under the impression that the Court if it thought fit might order it to be forfeited. . The Acting Chief Justice said that perhaps if the Magistrate had imposed nominal fine of ten cents and handed over the opium there would have been no more about the matter. The Attorney General supposed that \$20

was looked upon as a nominal fine. The Acting Chief Justice thought it was pretty substantial fine. The Acting Puisne Judge-For a coolie,

Mr Robinson having been heard in reply to the Attorney General.

The Acting Chief Justice said judgment would be reserved. He added that there seemed to have been some mistake about the opium, and expressed the opinion that it ought to have been handed over,

NEWS BY THE FRENCH MAIL

The M. M. Co.'s steamer Notal arrived this afternoon with the English mail of 28th January. We take the following telegrams from our Osylon and Indian exchanges :-THE SITUATION IN EUROPE.

London, February 6. - The effect of the One consequence of the Alliance is that

THE telegram which we publish to-day and to a very heavy penalty, supposing this before a Magistrate. - Section 23 provided leaving behind the specially formed African

THE TRIPARTITE TREATIES. Vienna, Feb 11 .- The News Freis Presse | jesty's Consul, Kiungchow, China. were (1) that an excise officer could enter vessels and search for and seize summarizes the tripartite treates, showing not proscente in this particular case; (2) opium. The question here, however, that, by the treaty but ween Austria and sequence of the Massageries Maritimes that the act of moving complained of is was not one of illegal arrest, it was a Italy, Austria was pledged to exer is a steamers leaving Marseilles at four p.m., not an act within this section of the ordin question whether an excise officer had benevolent neutrality in the event of war fustead of ten a.m., on the day of sailing. can undergo. Tracheotomy proper consists nance; (3) that if the section has been in. locus standi for the purpose of a prosecu- between France and Italy Italy remaining that passengers could leave by eight a.m. fringed the infringement consists merely tion under this Ordinance. He apprehend neutral in the event of war between mail train on the Saturday morning instead. of the omission of a formality which was withat if his learned friend himself had Austria and Russia. Austria engages to of eight p.m. on the Friday evening. A waivable and was waived; (4) that sections | chosen to institute a prosecution it would promote Italian interests in the Mediter- Post-office notification now states that - Lowdon; January 28. Sir John Pender, 10 and 13 must be read with section 19, and be quite competent for him to do so. The range of the Direct United States Aisone, Italy, has been almost wholly dethere is no evidence that the statement second point was that this case was Balkari provinces except with the consent French packets for China and Australia now Cable Company, has invited the cable stroyed by fire. The inhabitants are desfurnished by the appellant was incorrect to not within the meaning of section 10 and approval of Italy. By the treaty be leave Marseilles in the afternoon instead of company to a conference for the purpose titute. is outting through the crice-thyroid mem- his knowledge as required by that latter of this Ordinance. He gathered that tween Germany and Italy both countries the morning of their respective days of of fixing upon a tariff on the basis of I section; and (5) that the appellant is not his friend objected that this was not are mutually pledged to afford each other sailing. In order to take advantage of this shilling per word, one of the class of persons referred to in a case of moving for exportation within assistance attack either; and later departure, supplementary mails for section 10, forms C and D. Before proceed- the meaning of the statute. He (the should France and Russia combine in an Ceylon, the Straits Settlements, and Chipa. ing to these points he thought it would be Attorney General) submitted that it was attack on Germany or Austria, then Italy, will be despatched from London, vid Mar- night gave a banquet in honor of Baron; desirable to state the material facts of the as obviously a moving for expertation Austria and Germany would take the field scilles, on alternate Saturday mornings, Henry De Worms, Parliamentary Secretary. case. It appeared from the depositions as anything that could be conceived. If it together, A supplementary arrangement commencing on the 28th inst., in addition to the British Board of Trade, who is here There may still be a chance that the latest that Quan Ying Shing, wishing to expertation it was exists between Italy, Austria and England, to the regular mails leaving on the previous on important business pertaining to sugar. some 32 chests of opium, made seven diffe- certainly an act in the process of exports- which provides for the defence of the evenings. In consequence of this nowsrent applications in due form to ship by tion. An application was made for the Austran and Italian coasts against the papers can now be posted up to seven a.m.

ENGLAND AND OTHER POWERS. THE COLONIAL OFFICE.

London, Feb. 16.—The announcement from our exchanges :-TURKISH REGARD FOR RUSSIAN

SUSCEPTIBILITIES. Constantinople, Feb. 13th. - The appoint ment of Kiazem Bey as Turkish Commissioner at Sofia has been annulled, in deference to the wishes of Russia.

THE RADICAL DEMONSTRATION. London, Feb. 14th. The Radical demonstration in Hyde Park was conducted in an orderly manuer. The procession escorting Mr Sullivan from Euston station Stuart, member for Houndaditch, Mr Lawson. Member for St. Pancras, and other principal Radical members, took a prominent patt in the proceeding.

ARREST OF IRISH MEMBERS. London, Fub. 11 .- Messts Pyne and Gilbooly. Irish members, were arrested out-

THE PRINCE OF WALES. London, Feb. 11.—The Prince of Wales has gone to Cannes

MR BALFOUR ON IRELAND. London, Feb. 11.-Mr Balfour in the House of Commons insisted that the state of Iroland has greatly improved, capecially in Counties Kerry and Clare, where the National League has been entirely suppress-

A GOVERNMENT APOLOGY TO AN IBISH M.P. The Commons voted by a majority of 95 that the apology tendered by the Govern-The Attorney General then went on ment for the arrest of Mr Patrick O'Brion to deal with the last contention the force of in mistake for Mr Gilhooly on Friday was sufficient amends, and that it was no to remove from the appellant every shred necessary to tefer the matter to a Committee of privilege.

MR PARNELL AND THE ADDRESS. Mr Parnell's motion on the Crimes Act has been adjourned. He maintained that Lord Carnavon declared to him in conver tion in 1885 that the establishment of an Irish Parliament was the only way 4 THE SOCIALIST BILL REJECTED.

Berlin, Feb. 10.—The Committee of the Roichstag has rejected the Socialist Bill and recommends instead that the existing law be extended for two years. SIR GEO, TREVELYAN ON THE CRIMES ACT.

London, Feb. 15. - In the House of Comwould so far from pacifying the people only The Acting Chief Justice presumed that serve still more to alienate their sympathy and decrease their respect for law. The debate was adjourned. THE SUGAR BOUNTIES.

Berlin, Feb. 13 .- Prince Bismarck concurs with Baron de Worms in his desire to have the augar bounties abolished.

(Fron L. & C. Express of 27th Jan.) Captain John B. Warren has been apcointed to the command of the Audacious. Admiral de Lajaille, French Naval Comthe 26th inst. for his post. The mission General Von Schweinitz, German Embasdelay the despatch of the Rapide until re- Pasha, the Turkish Embassador, had a soat ceiving the report of the Admiral.

Transport Corps, thas been posted to the room and conversed with the guests. Straits Settlements for auty.

cious as flagship on the China Station. forts : employed in boats of Magicienne in Government. destruction of Chinose piratical fleets and | London, January 27 .- Mail advices from harbours, from Aug. 26 to Sept. 4, 1858 St. Petersburg say that the Government's overheard part of this confession were im-(China medal); Lieutenant of the Leopard | intentions are to largely increase the Rusat the bumbardment of Simono-seki, Japan, sian garrisons on the Pacific coast and 1864. The Royal Humane Society's silver | greatly augment the Pacific fleet. medal was awarded him in August, 1858. when he went overboard, and rescued a seaman sho had jumped out of a boat to that the Count De Lesseps is making a avoid a stink-pot fired by Chinese pirates, wonderfully hard fight in the face of the and was in great danger of drowning

posted at Lloyd's as a missing vessel

from St. Petersburg and Berlin. His Excellency Phys Damrong, Siamese

yard broken, and is now moored off Grave-

with the arguments set up by the Counsel siliance between the North German Con- have received the following telegram from

Amongst the calls to the Bir by the vices to my son in law.

Middle Temple on the 26th inst. we notice the name of Mr Llexander Frater, M.A. Aberdeen University, F.R.G.S., Ber Ma.

Some time since we noticed that in con-28th inst. and letters till 7.15 a.m., and every alternate Saturday henceforth. London, Feb. 16.—Replying to a question prevent mistakes we may state that the

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL

Thos. s. Gaelie, Captain W. G. Pearne, arrived this afternoon with the American mail fo 1st Feb. We take the following telegrams

EABL GREY ON IRELAND. London, January 28.-Earl Grey will soon publish a volume describing his experience in English and Irish politics. He maintains that the union was a success unt 1868, but since that year Iroland has been used for party ends.

WATCHING EACH OTHER. Posth, January 28.—In the lower House of the Hungarian Diet Premier Tisza, replying to Herr Helfy's interpollation in reference to the Government taking initiative steps toward summoning an international conference to consider the present troubles between Russia and Austria, and as to whether Austria might count on the alliance of Germany and Italy, emphatically declared that there was no ground to doubt the good faith of the allied Powers for their own peace and security. In consequence of the marked displacement of Russian troops and their transfer in the direction of the Austrian frontiers, the Hungarian Government. without doubting the Czar's pacific declarations, considered it necessary to see that measures were taken to assure the sufety of the frontier. He hoped that pence-loving Governments would succeed in maintaining peace and removing the existing feeling of

Berlin, January 28.—Herr Von Tisza's atatements in the lower House of the Huntarian Diet has confirmed the conviction that war butween Austria and Russia is inevitable. Each is simply lying in wait for the first chance to strike. Reports received at the War Office from agents on the Polish frontier intimate a renewal of activity among the Russian troops. The Austrian war officials suspect that the real object in view is the invasion of Bulgaria. The sinews of war have been obtained by the Russian Treasury by a loan arranged in Amsterdam, which is said to be for £4,000,000. Herr Von Tieza has concluded negotations with the Frankfort Roths childs for a loan of 29,000,000 floring.

ALL QUIET EXCEPT THE BANDITS. Havana, January 27 .- The epidemie rime which has prevailed in Cuba lately has greatly decreased and the island has of dulness. The bandits who infeat the country districts are being relentlessly aunted down by the authorities. THE ERZEROUM MINES.

London, January 27. The Porte ha proposed to Richard Bauer of Stuttgart, who discovered silver and gold at Er zeroum, that he undertake the direction of the working of mines. The Porte in stimulated to activity by fears of Russian

A BANK TO BE WOUND DP. Toronto, January 27. - The bank man agers held a protracted meeting last nigh regarding the affairs of the Federal Bank It was decided to wind up the bank's

A STORM AT VIENNA. London, January 27 .- A great storm raging at Vienna. Much damage has been done and many persons injured. RUSSIAN ITEMS -A BIG! HONOR PAID TO

THE GERMAN EMBASSADOR -NOTES. St. Petersburg, January 27. - The Grashdania (official organ of the Government) mander-in-Chief in China, left Marseilles on | says that at the ourt ball last evening entrusted to him may only be temporary, sador, was seated at the Imperial supper and the Minister of Marine has decided to I table on the Czarina's right, while Chaki: on her left. The Czar was not present at Captain F. W. Steele, Commissariat and the supper, but he walked through the ball

Rome. January 27. -The Pope has writ H.M.S. Imperieuse, 10, cruiser, first class, ten an autograph letter to the Czar, thankhaving completed her defects, will be com- ing him for his expressions of good will in missioned on April 4, to relieve the Aude- the address the Czar sent him on the occasion of his jubilee. The Ozar hoped that Captain George John Austruther, R.N., his Holmess would sid him in harmonizing who died on the 19th inst., entered the the needs of the Roman Church in Russia Navy in 1856, became Sub-Lieutenant, with the fundamental principles of his Em-1861; Lieutenant, 1862; Commander, 1870; pire. To this the Pope replies that the and Captain, 1879. When Midshipman he | Holy See is prepared to do everything in its was present at the attack on the Pelho | power to meet the desires of the Russian

DE LESSEPS HARD FIGHT.

London, January 27.-It is undeniable Ministry's knock-down blow. His circu-The steamer Vespusian, of Liverpool, lar has had the effect of sending Panama which sailed from Saigon for Manila, with | canal shares up to 300 francs, or 60 per cent a cargo of paddy and rice, on Nov. 16 last; of par, whereas they were down to 272 and has not since been heard of, has been france on Friday. Of course, new bonds could not be sold anywhere else for 2 per Sir Halliday Macartney, K.C.M G., has | cont of their face value, but France is willreturned to the Chinese Legation, London, jug to pay for belief in its grand old man.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION. Paris, January 27 .- The High Court of Cassation pronounced a judgment yesterday Oatholic clergy. It held, in spite of pre-The P. and O. steamer Kaisar i- Ifind cedents established within its own preand the Glen Line steamer Glenfullock, both | cincis, that the marriage of a Roman

> Bucharest, January 28 .- The Minister of War recently paid an unexpected visit to of the work, and declared that it must be | which has greatly effected the Pope, occurr-Who knows from one hour to another Grand Master of the Household of the DRAWING ON THE CLD STOCK.

AR UNEXPECTED VISIT.

London, January 28 - Queen Victoria. in sending an Indian shawl to Mrs Morrell Experie and Imports a requisition under those now before the Court—that section informed on the 16th January of the intent three works. Collinon occurred 7 p.m. Mackenzie, forwarded an explanatory note, and when raised was found to be dead. Schedule C., furnishing the particulars 22, which Mr Robinson referred to in sup- tion to publish the Secret Treaty of alliance 18th, was almost instantaneous; steamers, asying that the gift was intended to show therein required. He was fined on the ap- port of his contention; said it should be between Germany and Austria if the move- never locked, but glided off immediately, how highly she valued the marifices Mrs Mackensis makes through the absence of pers confirm the reports of the continued send the prescription, free of charge, on Dr Mackensie while he is rendering ser-

A SULT FOR DAMAGES. London, January 28. Some time ago

ration to the courts for the annulment of his morriage on the ground that his wife but was disarmed; was insane when he married her. To-day a summons was granted to Lord Durham ngainst the owner of the Mail for libel, in

A ROYAL BANQUET.

Brussels, January 28. - King Leopold to overplus of work. HOPE FOR THE CHOWN PRINCE.

Berlin, January 28 .- Professor Virchow in a letter discussing the latest phase of the Crown Prince's illness, says he is of the opinion that the disease is not cancer. A HEAVY GALE.

London, January 28 .- A heavy gale pre vails throughout Great Britain to-day. HENRY GEORGE AND THE VATICAN. London, January 30. - The London Chronicle's correspondent at Paris says that Cardinal Gibbons has written another letter urging the Vatican not to condemn Henry George's writings, on the ground that George only follows the theories of Spencer and Mill, and it is better to allow false

theories to die a natural death than to fan

them by giving them artificial importance. TTALE AND PRANCE. Rome, January 30, - The Cabinet Council has decided not to renew the commercial treaty of 1881 with France, but will make new and conciliatory proposals Franco upon which a treaty can be based If France should reject its ally's offers negotiations will be brought to on and

PRACE OR WAR ? St. Petersburg, January 29. -At the last court ball the Czarina, instead of inviting the Turkish Embassador, Dean of the Diplomatic Corps, to open the first quadrille, gave the honor to the Austrian Embassador. The incident is widely commented upon, and is regarded as a peacoful

Festh, January 29.—Negotiations with the Rothschild syndicate for the issue 4-per-cent rentes to the amount of \$15. 000,000 have been concluded.

REQUIEM SERVICES FOREIDDEN. London, January 29. - Cardinal Manning has forbidden the proposed requiem services in memory of Prince Charles Ed-

DECREASED PROFITS. Montreal, January 30. - The annual statement of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the year ending December 31st shows gross earnings of \$11,606,412; expenses. \$8, 12,296. The profits, compared with 886, show a decrease of \$199,368.

PRINCE FERDINAND'S MOTHER. London, January 30. -It is rumored that Princess Clementine, the mother of Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria, is contemplating: visit to Constantinople, incognite, and th the Turkish Government is taking steps prevent her doing so: BEAUTY AND THE BEAST.

New York, January 30.- A Mail and Express cable reports the elegement from Paris of a beautiful young society girl with her Italian music teacher. He is 55, wrinkled, sharp-nosed, thip-lipped, bald and what hair he has is red. They have been heard from in Marseilles. Paris is all torn up over the affair.

GERMAN SOCIALIETS. Borton, January 30. - The trial of th a secret association, has been concluded at Posen. Slavinsky was sentenced to two years and nine months imprisonment Wilkowsky and Konopinski to two years and six months' each. Merkonski and Janischewaki to one year and six months' each and seven other from nine months down to tour months each. Four were acquitted

Paris, January 30 .- Le Paris states that the Porte has ordered an immediate inquiry into the action of Turkish soldiers at Damascus who entered the French Consulate and seized an Algerian under French protection. The paper also says that the French naval division at Smyrns will proceed to Beyrout to protect French subjects from a threatened outbreak of Moslems among whom there is great excitement.

SPUBGEON'S POSITION. London, January 30. - Rev. Charles H Spurgeon, in a letter to the Baptist Union says that every union, unless it is a fiction, must be based on certain principles. The doctrine of baptism by immersion will not suffice as a groundwork. There are other doctrines besides which are essential. He is unable to feel fellowship with a man merely because of his adherence to the doctrine of immersion, if in other matters he is false to the teachings of Scripture.

A SENSATIONAL STORY. London, January 30 .- The St. James's Gazette says it has authentic advices from St. Petersburg that an army officer who has been shot in the region of the heart was taken to the hospital, where the doctors declared that his wound was mortal. The officer thereupon admitted that he had sho himself in order to avoid the necessity of shooting the Cz r. He said he was a member of a scoret society, which had balloted to see who should undertake to assassinate the Czar, and the choice had fallen upon him. Several persons in the hospital who prediately arrested. A full confession of the officer was taken in writing by the

AN ENCOUNTER BETWEEN RUSSIANS

IND PRUSSIANS. Berlin, January 30. - Yesterday while THEY WILL FOLLOW THE POPE. several Russian soldiers were fishing in a Prussians, wounding one of them slightly, teachings, The Russians seized the wounded man, but when his companion fried to rescue him russian, whom they took away with them. A VAMILY GOES INSANG

Dutlin, Jan. 30. - In a lonely house near Killarney lives a family named Doyle, consisting of the father, mother, three daughters and an imbecile son. Last evening all be- Review for February, Sir Charles Dilke concame suddenly insans from the effects of Linues to arraign the British military systhen. To day the son was found dead in army has too few officers; that the militia the pigliouse, his face having been ea'en has officers who lack training; that the goaway by the pigs. The other members of verning policy of the military system is the family have been put in an aylum.

DIED BEFORE THE P.PE. New York, Jan. 30 .- A Rome cable the World says :- An unpleasant incident ficent dismond jubiles gift, on behalf of his master, he suddenly fell forward on his face

MOVEMENTS OF THE SUSSIANS. movements of Russian troops toward the receipt of a sulf addressed stamped enve-Austrian frontier.

Paris, January 30 - A German named Lord Durham made an unsuccessful appli. Brandt forced his way into the office of Za France to-day and tried to shoot Decoot,

BNOWSTORMS IN WALES. Lordon January 80. There have been heavy augustorms in Wales. The roads stating that Lord Durham's brutality drove are blocked and heavy losses in stock are

> A VILLAGE BURNED. London, January 30,-The village of

HIS BUSY DAY. London, January 30.—Biamarck refused to see Randolph Churchill on the ground of

PROTEING SCENES AT THE TRIAL OF A

MRMBER OF PARLIAMENT. Dublin, January 31 - The trial of Cox, Member of Parliament for East Clare, on the charge of violating the Crimes Act by addressing the tenants at Kildysart, was begun to-day at that place. The people of Kildysart and the surrounding neighbor. hood gathered this morning, and headed by priests, marched to the Courthouse. They were charged by the police, who used their batons freely and succeeded in clearing the streets. Many people were injured The people collected again, and finally the police decided to allow them to remain. The court-room was filled with priests. Mesars Roche and Coland, merchants of Longford, have been sentenced to three months imprisonment each, and nine

farmers to one month each for taking part in an unlawful assemblage on the occasion of the release from prison of Father Egan. The trial of Blaine, member of Parliament for South Armagh, on the charge of inciting tenants to resist the authorities. took place to day. It resulted in conviction. He was sentenced to four months' imprisonment. A motion for appeal was

Two evictions were made at Kilmihil. County Clare, to-day. The Sheriff was rotected by a force of 200 policemen. The mob, in sympathy with the tonants. tolled the chapel bell, grouned and threw missiles at the evictors. The police charged the people and a not skirmish took

Henry Joseph Gill, who represents Limerick City in Parliament, has given notice of his intention to resign his seat. The magistrate who sentenced Father McFadden of Gulldore to three months imprisonment will remit the question as to the treatment the priest shall receive in prison

to the Judge who hears the case on appeal. Cork, January 31.—The magistrates have dismissed the summons against Major Roberts, Governor of the County Prison. on account of lack of evidence and the great lapse of time since the alleged offences. He was accused of assaulting young girle.

PREPARING FOR POSSIBLE WAR. Berlin, January 31.—The Bunearath today fixed the sum for carrying out the provisions of the new Military bill at 281,500,000 marks, of which 278,300,000 is a non-concurring expenditure and 3,200,000 marks a permanent loan. The bill was immediately afterward introduced into the Reichstag. The loan asked for is needed for arming 700,000 extra troops in other, to be prepared beforehand for a declaration of

war and to avoid confusion. THE GERMAN CROWN PRINCE. San Remo, January 31.—Owing to the cold weather here the Orown Prince's physicians are discussing the advisability of removing the Prince to a warmer climate. The physiciaus are unanimously of the opinion that an operation will not be necessarily and letateled cartilage from the

Prince's throat. A LIGHT PENALTY. Paris. January 31.—The Court of Cassation has reduced the sentence of M. Vigneaux, who was removed from the office of Judge of Instruction for illegal procedure in the Legion of Honor decoraon cases for the extraordinary means he used to get information against M. Wilson. to simple consure, the lightest panalty that

t could inflict. THE COPPER BING. London, January 31 .- It is reported that he copper ring has captured the Chilean producers. The price of Chile bars has dvanced £4. Negotiations with the Mason & Barry Company are incomplete, the company holding out for better terms, and the ring is confident of capturing American

producers. A TALENTED YOUNG PIANIST Vienna, Jan. 31 .- Miss Meyer, grandnicce of Anton Rubenstein, gave a pieno concert here yesterday. It was a marked success. She in only 18 years old, but has composed music and written the libratto of an opera, of which portions have been performed in public.

SPAIN AND MOROCCO. Madrid, January 31.—In the Chamber of Deput cs to-day Morot, Minister of Foreign Affairs, replying to an attack made by Canovas Del Castollar, declared that the Government had no thought of making fresh conquests, but only wished to maintain the integrity of Morocco.

THE COMING ROYAL MARRIAGE.

Loudon, January 31. The Queen of Sweden, accompanied by her son. Prince Oscar, and his fiancee, Miss Munck, bay passed through Conenhagen, end route to Bournemouth, where the marriage of the Prince and Miss Munck will take place about the middle of March. CONCESSIONS TO STUDENTS.

St. Petersburg, January 31 .- After quiet has been restored at the university the Government will remove the chiefs of departments who proved obnexious to the students. Among those to be retired is Delianoff, Minister of Public Instruction.

Rome, January 31 -- An address has been stream near the Prussian border, they received by the Pope, in which a large crossed the border. On being ordered to number of Spanish Roman Oatholic writers. recross the line by two Prussian gendarmes, and publicists assure the Pope that they they refused to do so and fired at the will not write anything in opposition to his

A FRUITLESS MISSION. London, January 31.—The Vienns corthey released him and arrested the other respondent of the Timessays . M. Stourdza failed to obtain the wished-for guaranty of Germany and Austria for the territorial neutrality of Roumania

> SIR CHARLES DILEE'S CHARGES. London, January 28 .- In the Fortnightles sometimes one thing and sometimes another; that the majority of the volunteers are bad markemen and that the regulars are lacking in field artillery.

AN IMPORTANT DISCOVERY IS ADDOUGEd in the Paris Figure, of a valuable remedy Prince of Colonna was advancing to the for nerrous debility, physical exhaustion, throng of his Holluces to present a magni- and premature decay. The discovery was made by a missionary in Cha Mexico it saved him from a miserable existence any att carly mraye. We learn that the Rev. Joseph Hulmos, B'comsbury Mansions Vienna January 30 .- The Gallelan par Bloomabury Saunto, London, W.C., will

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Daily News. 'A substantial and reliable Review which all students of China and the Chinese would do well to patronise. - Chrysanthemum. The November-December number of the China Review contains less variety than usual, but the few articles are very interesting. The opening paper by Mr Herbert A. Giles on "The New Testament in Chinese" treats of a question that must neces sarily be of great importance in the eyes of all missionaries. . . Mr E. H Parker's "Short Journeys in Szechuen are continued, and a goodly instalment of these travels in the interior of China given. Mr F. H. Balfour contributes paper of some length entitled "The Emperor Cheng, founder of the Chinese Em pire," which will be read with genuin interest by students of Chinese history A few short notices of New Books and

number of Notes and Queries, one of which "On Chinese Oaths in Western Borneo and Java" might appropriately have been placed under a separate heading, complete the number. '-H.K. Daily Press. Trubner's Oriental Record contains the

following notice of the China Review:-The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, some what similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature. antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked or from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowrs, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that 'Notes' and 'Queries' are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Ohinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the China Review may receive the support necessary to benre

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